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In re Application of: Uwe Sydon  
Serial No.: 09/922,460  
Filing Date: August 3, 2001  
Group Art Unit: 2617  
Examiner: Meless Zewdu  
Confirmation No. 1376  
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROVIDING AN AIR  
INTERFACE WITH VARIABLE DATA RATE BY  
SWITCHING THE BIT TIME

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RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In response to the Office Action mailed July 25, 2006 (the "Office Action"), Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider the rejection of the claims in view of the following Amendments thereto, and the comments as set forth below. Please amend the Application as follows.